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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

10 WILLIE SAMPSON,

11 Petitioner,

12 vs.

13 ISIDRO BACA, et al.,

14 Respondents.
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Case No. 3:15-cv-00238-RCJ-WGC

ORDER

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17 This action is a *pro se* petition for a writ of habeas corpus filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254,
18 by a Nevada state prisoner. On the face of the petition petitioner indicates that he filed a previous
19 federal habeas petition challenging this judgment of conviction, case no. C-182432, which he states was
20 denied on the merits (ECF #1-1, p. 2). In fact, this court's docket reflects that petitioner's prior federal
21 habeas petition is currently on appeal before the Ninth Circuit. *See* Case No. 3:11-cv-00019-LRH-
22 WGC, ECF #95. Accordingly, this second petition must be dismissed for lack of jurisdiction. 28
23 U.S.C. § 2244.

24 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Clerk shall **DETACH** and **FILE** the petition (ECF
25 #1-1).

26 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the petition is **DISMISSED** for lack of jurisdiction.

27 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that petitioner's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF
28 #1) is **DENIED** as moot.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk shall **ENTER JUDGMENT** accordingly and close this case.

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